



## Partnership Packet

## ABOUT US

Kappa Alpha Psi was founded in 1911 on the campus of Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana and is among the oldest Greek letter fraternity organizations in the world. It is an international organization, comprised of college-educated men of color who are dedicated to achievement, upward mobility and service to communities. Today, the Fraternity has approximately 150,000 members and is comprised of over 750 undergraduate and alumni chapters on college campuses, across the nation in big cities and small towns, and throughout the world. Our members are represented across the spectrum of professions and are significant consumers in the marketplace. Kappa Alpha Psi does not exclude from membership any person because of his race, color, creed, or national origin.

The Miami Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. is the local graduate chapter of the fraternity. The Miami Alumni Chapter was originated in Miami on November 23, 1946, thus making over 70 years of Achievement, Leadership, and Service to the greater Miami community.

In 2000, the Miami Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi established the Miami Alumni Kappa Foundation, Inc. as its Internal Revenue Service designated 501 (c) (3) philanthropic arm. Since this time, the Foundation has been committed to sponsoring and the support of other local and national organizations that shares its mission.

The mission of the Foundation is to promote leadership, achievement, and enhance the civic, educational, social, and economic well being of the communities and organizations in which it serves, with special emphasis on:

- (a) The support and promo on of college educational opportunities for students from within our communities.
- (b) The development of a culture of excellence in academics, the arts, sciences, business, sports, leadership, or other essential areas of community development.
- (c) The development and support of community health, safety, economic, social, and life skills programs for under privileged or at risk groups within the community.
- (d) The ongoing coordination and support of activities and functions which meet the guidelines outlined above as planned and scheduled by the Miami Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

## MIAMI KAPPA LEAGUE MISSION

### *Scholarship, Leadership, & Service*

The Kappa Leadership Development League is a program designed to aid young men of high school age to grow and develop their leadership talents in every phase of human endeavor. Kappa League provides both challenging and rewarding experiences to enhance their lives. Since the fundamental purpose of Kappa Alpha Psi is **ACHIEVEMENT**, it is therefore the Fraternity's primary purpose to help these young men achieve worthy goals for themselves, and make constructive contributions to their community when they assume leadership roles.

The basic objectives of the Kappa Leadership Development League may be summarized as follows:

To help youth, especially those of high school graduating classes, in their selection of courses leading to vocations compatible with their aptitudes and personalities.

To assist students, while they are training, to get started in the employment, and to progress successfully in their chosen fields.

To assist parents in the handling of their children by given them the opportunities to talk over their problems with those who know and are successful in their chosen vocations.

To afford the less fortunate youths a respite from the drudgery of the streets, through sponsored trips to ball games, zoological garden, museums, theater, and other activities.

To inform youth of the values of higher education, assistance available for continued pursuits, scholarship, loans, professional opportunities, and of current labor demands and the trends on the effect of these demands and trends on the labor market.



## MIAMI KAPPA LEAGUE STRATEGIES

**College entrance exam** scores are paramount to college admittance. Because of this, we have teamed up with the Princeton Review to provide workshops, practice tests, diagnostics, and counseling to assist Kappa Leaguers in achieving the highest possible scores.

**Financial Resources** > An integral part of college attendance is helping the student maximize grant and scholarship opportunities and minimize loan debt. Through the "**Diamonds in the Rough**" tactic, The Miami Kappa League provide scholarships and counsel parents and students on other financial aid resources with the help of experienced college financial aid advisors

**Spring Break College Tour** > The Miami Kappa League annually takes students on an expense paid trip to experience college campuses around the country. This experience affords participants the opportunity to get a feel of college life as well as explore the specific academic and social offerings of the university.

**College Signing Day** > Athletes are not the only ones that should be celebrated for making the decision to attend college! Our annual College Signing Day and awards ceremony acknowledges the accomplishments of our seniors as they announce which school they will attend.

**Kappa Career Day** is designed to expose youth to an array of career possibilities. Experts in diverse industries are invited to interact with and discuss their path to career success.

**KL Community Service** > Miami Kappa League participants gain memorable experiences in helping to give back to their communities. All the while, gaining essential community service hours necessary for both high school graduation and to strengthen college applications.

**KL Social Outings** > It is important to maintain a healthy balance of educational and social activities. As a reward for engaged participation and academic achievement, Miami Kappa Leaguers engage in social activities such as movies, museums, bowling, sporting events, water parks, cook-outs, and more .



# MIAMI KAPPA LEAGUE OUTCOMES



## High School Graduation Percentage

2012: 100%

2013: 100%

2014: 100%

2015: 100%

2016: 100%

2017: 100%



## Scholarship Dollars Found

**\$177,000**

(This represents the aggregate amount students have received. This includes, but is not limited to scholarships awarded by the Miami Alumni Kappa Foundation)



## Colleges Accepted to (since 2012)

Florida State University

Florida A & M University

Purdue University

University of Florida

Howard University

Miami-Dade College

Bethune-Cookman University

Florida International University

Lehigh University

Florida Atlantic University

University of Central Florida

Nova Southeastern University

Florida Memorial University

Barry University

Duquesne University

Grambling State University

University of Miami

Morehouse College



# WAYS TO SUPPORT KAPPA LEAGUE

*We are so grateful when a helping hand is extended to the Miami Kappa League. Financial contributions and strategic partnerships are just a couple of ways you or your organization can help us fulfill our mission. Contributions made to the Miami Alumni Kappa Foundation, Inc. in support of our work are tax-deductible and greatly appreciated.*

## Commit to becoming a mentor (Kappa Alpha Psi Brothers Only)

- Submit to and pass criminal background check
- Undergo on-going mentor training
- Commit to designated number of contact hours each month

## Donate to general Scholarship Fund>

Individuals as well as businesses can make tax deductible contributions to our general scholarship fund.

**Donate to general Operational fund>** We are a 100% volunteer organization. In order to continue to provide memorable experiences at little or no cost to our mentees, many of our operational costs must be off-set by tax-deductible contributions from supporters.



**Become a Partner!** Your organization may be able to help our cause by becoming a partner. A few partnership opportunities:

**1. Sponsor Kappa League Scholars:** With the rising costs of education, we must be able to continually help young men reach their potential by providing money for school.

**2. Sponsor Services:** Numerous services are necessary including, but not limited to: educational software, college transition resources, data and research, transportation, meals, marketing, & venue support.

**3. Facilitate job/internship opportunities:** We seek to expose our Kappa Leaguers to a variety of jobs and professions.

**4. Facilitate an "Experience":** Exposing youth to a person, activity, place, or new learning activity or workshop.

**5. Facilitate Tutoring Services:** Academic achievement is derived from rigorous study habits. Regular tutoring services are needed to help reach our goal.

**6. Outfitting:** For branding and uniformity purposes, we provide Kappa Leaguers with clothing items such as blazers, ties, polo shirts, suits, sweaters, and t-shirts.

# MIAMI KAPPA LEAGUE BUDGET

## Activities

Induction Ceremony	\$1,500.00
1st Outing	\$1,250.00
2nd Outing	\$1,250.00
3rd Outing	\$1,250.00
4th Outing	\$1,250.00
Graduation	\$1,000.00
College Signing Day	\$2,500.00
College Tour	\$10,000.00
Transportation	\$3,000.00
Princeton Review Test Prep Services	\$10,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$33,000.00</b>

## Administrative

Donor Perfect Software	\$200.00
Facility Rentals	\$3,600.00
Student Supplies	\$1,000.00
Membership Cards	\$100.00
Naviance Registration	\$1,000.00
NSBE Jr. Membership	\$600.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,500.00</b>

## Outfitting

Blazers	\$2,500.00
T-shirts	\$3,000.00
Polo Shirts	\$1,250.00
Ties	\$750.00
Bow Ties	\$750.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,250.00</b>

## Scholarships

<b>Scholarships</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>
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## MIAMI KAPPA LEAGUE PARTNERS



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